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March 14, 2007
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yang et al. Art Unit: 2615
Application No.: 09/867,736 Examiner: Corey P. Chau
Filed: May 30, 2001
For: AUDIO POST PROCESSING IN DVD, DTV AND OTHER AUDIO VISUAL PRODUCTS

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM
THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed **December 14, 2006** finally rejecting claims **1-29**.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ Applicants hereby petition for a month extension of time to reply to the final rejection.
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